The cost on account of printing, paper and binding materials, and special staff for the Government Malayalam Readers and copy books at the Government Press was as follows:

Year.	*Cost.*	
	Rs.	Chs. C.
1106	17,837	0 2.
1107	14,287	5 10.
1108	28,768	19 12.
1109	42,594	24 5.

Separate figures for the cost of text books alone are not easily available.

The net receipts on the sales of Government Malayalam Readers during the years 1107, 1108 and 1109 were Rs. 32,019-13-12, Rs. 38,173-5-10 and Rs. 42,822-5-8, respectively.

(*d*) No. They are stocked in the Government Press.

(*e*) Because Government are making a profit out of the sales of the books.

Mr. M. N. Paramesvaran Pillai: May I know from the member with reference to answer to part (*d*) how many books are now in stock in the Government Press?

Mr. C. V. Chandrasekharan: I claim notice.

Receipt of the Electrical Department for 1109.

89. ***Mr. M. N. Paramesvaran Pillai**: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) what was the total annual receipt for 1109 of the Electrical Department for the current supplied from the department; and

(*b*) of this, what was the amount received from private consumers and what from the Government and the Railway Departments?

Mr. K. P. Padmanabha Menon (*Electrical Engineer to Government*): (*a*) Rs. 1,89,129-24-12.

(*b*) The amount received from private consumers including the amount received from Government for maintenance of street lights was Rs. 1,24,490-25-4, that from Government institutions Rs. 62,906-16-2 and that from Railway Department Rs. 2,532-11-6.

Encroachments into the cardamom reserves of the Devicolam taluk.

90. ***Mr. K. P. Nilakanta Pillai** (*Chirayinkil* cum *Nedumangad*): With regard to the encroachments into the cardamom reserves of the Devicolam taluk after 1096, will the Government be pleased to state

(*a*) how many cases of encroachment were detected by the Forest Department;

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[Mr. K. P. Nilakanta Pillai.]

(*b*) how many cases were charged before the magistracy;
(*c*) how many cases ended in conviction;
(*d*) in how many cases encroachers were evicted; and
(*e*) what is the total area involved in these encroachments?

Mr. R. Dhanukoti Pillai (*Conservator of Forests*): A statement * furnishing the information is laid on the table.

Mr. K. P. Nilakanta Pillai: May I hear the answer for part (*d*) once more?

Mr. R. Dhanukoti Pillai: The answer to part (*d*) is that no eviction has taken place during these years.

Mr. K. P. Nilakanta Pillai: With reference to answer to part (*b*) may I know from the member why after conviction, the encroachers are not evicted?

Mr. R. Dhanukoti Pillai: It is not usual for the encroachers to be evicted. When once they are convicted they generally leave the place. But if they persist in not leaving the place then only eviction will take place.

Mr. K. P. Nilakanta Pillai: Am I to understand that after conviction and sentence against the encroachers they leave the land encroached upon?

Mr. R. Dhanukoti Pillai: Yes; it is so.

Mr. M. N. Paramesvaran Pillai: How many of such encroachers are Travancoreans and how many outsiders?

Mr. R. Dhanukoti Pillai: The information is not available.

Incomplete Primary Schools started after 1106.

91. * **Mr. K. P. Nilakanta Pillai**: Will the Government be pleased to give a statement containing the following particulars:

(*a*) the number of incomplete primary schools started after 1106;

(*b*) the year when each school was started; and

(*c*) the year of giving grant-in-aid to any or all of such schools?

Mr. C. V. Chandrasekharan: The statement is given below:

(*a*) 41.
(*b*) 31 in 1107, 7 in 1108 and 3 in 1109.
(*c*) 3 in 1108, 9 in 1109 and 1 in 1110.

President: You seem to be rather hesitating to put supplementary questions. Have you anything to ask?

* *Vide* Appendix I—page 539.

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Appendix 1.

***Vide* Answer to Question No. 90.**

Encroachments in the Cardamom Hills Reserve in the Devicolam Taluk.

Year.	How many cases of encroachments were detected by the Forest Department.	How many cases were charged before the Magistracy.	How many cases ended in conviction.	In how many cases encroachers were evicted.	What is the total area involved in these encroachments.	Remarks.
1108	27	6	..		192 acres.	All the cases were decided departmentally.
1104	19	7	..		81¼ ,,	Do.
1105	14	1	..		58½ ,,	Do.
1106	11	1	..		35 ,,	Do.
1107	13	10	2		98 ,,	The remaining 11 cases were decided departmentally.
1108	2	2	1		30 ,,	Do. 1 case Do.
1109	14	14	4		55½ ,,	Do. 10 cases Do.
1110	29	15	6		233 ,,	The remaining cases are pending disposal.
Total	129	56	13		783 ,,	